# Two hundred dainty Girls' lingerie DRESSES

(Ages 6 to 11 years)

Are placed HALF PRICE

They've lost some of their original freshness. There isn't a one however, but which a laundering would put in first-class, perfect condition. And think-THERE IS A HALF SAVING.

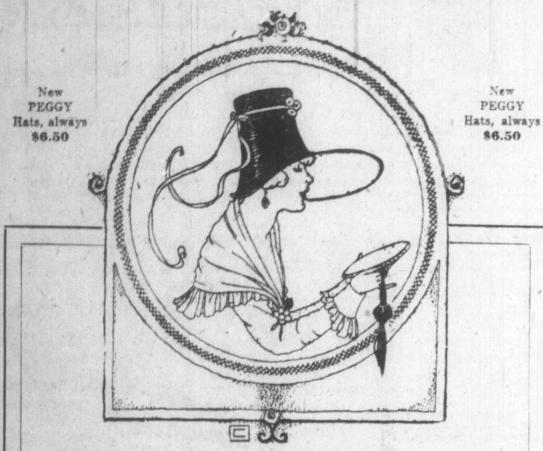
And such dainty, charming dresses, toothey're the kind girls adore-of lingerie, organdy and nets.

Five important price groups as follows:

Dresses that sold for \$5.95 -half price, at......\$2.95 Dresses that sold for \$7.95

Dresses that sold for \$10.00 -half price, at ......\$4.95 Dresses that sold for \$12.50 -half price, at .........\$3.95 -half price, at ........\$6.95

Dresses that sold for \$15.00—half price, at .... \$7.50 -Second Floor.



# Millinery of beauty and originality

THE PURCHASER OF ONE OF THESE HATS HAS THE PLEASANT SATISFACTION OF KNOW-ING THAT SHE HAS AN INDIVIDUAL-A PER-SONAL CREATION—ONE WHOSE DUPLICATE IS NOT SEEN AT EVERY TURN.

### Cherry trimmed hats

WHICH HAVE JUST COME INTO VOGUE-POKE SHAPES HIGH CROWNED HATS, QUAINT PURITAN POKES AND WATTEAU HATS ARE SHOWN IN THEIR NEWEST CON-

\$7.50, \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$25.00

A millinery achievement-

New Peggy hats always \$6.50

More new arrivals-Peggy hats mark a distinct advancement in the creation of high-class millinery at a popular price. See -Fourth Floor. them!

# THE WITH BLOCK CO

This is the FINAL clearance of

# BOYS' CLOTHING

Always a big event here. It means more this season than ever before because of the astounding advances in the price of boys' clothes.

Boys' Norfolk suits with two pairs of pants; ages 6 to

Boys' mackinaws all wool, 6 to 12 years . .

Boys' overcoats 21/2 to 8 years.....

Juvenile suits 3 to 10 years.....

\$6.75 to \$10.00 qualities.

We are prepared for record selling. Surely no parent of boys will buy clothing without at least wanting to see what this

Frankly it would cost us considerably more than \$5.00 to buy clothes like these, but neither this factor nor any other factor can set aside our policy of selling all goods in season. The last and lowest price. While there are plenty of suits, there are limited quantities of certain lots. It's always well, in a sale like this, to choose without delay. \$6.75 to \$10.00 qualities.... \$5.00

Even such a wonderful

corset as the

with its many patented features and its scientific construction can not be expected to give the utmost satisfaction unless you get exactly the RIGHT Nemo for the individual requirements of your figures.

MISS VIRGINIA MEYERS

of the Nemo Fashion Hygienic Institute, will be glad to choose from the many models YOUR model and adjust it to you.

When you buy your Nemo, get expert valuable services with it, without additional cost.

The enthusiastic selling of many of our

-Boys' Shop, Third Floor.

### WOMEN'S BOOTS

At exactly ONE-THIRD OFF

-is demonstrating the high regard that women have for Block footwear. Women are buying two and three pairs.

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Repeating a very successful

# FERING OF RU

It met with such splendid appreciation last Monday that we are bringing it again to public notice.

Wilton Rugs

Royal and Karadi, 9x12 feet wide; assortment of pleasing designs and colorings, regular price \$57.50; specially priced for this sale-

\$43.45

\$37.50 Rugs at \$27.45

Fervak Axminsters, 9x12 Feet They're seamless-the colorings are those that conform to the newest ideas in home decoration. Small allover, oriental and Chinese effects. When you consider the desirability

of the rugs, both from the standpoint of quality and pattern, you'll doubly appreciate the saving; \$37.50 qual ity ...... \$27.45

Imperial Saruk Wilton Rugs

9x12 feet, linen fringed; beautiful new spring designs, pretty color combinations; \$80.00 qual-

\$35 Axminster rugs oriental designs, large stock to \$26.45 -Fourth Floor.

#### SPRING WOOL DRESS GOODS of beauty and utility

There are the new plaids in a charming array of color combinations. Then milady will be pleased with the beautiful tricotines, especially if she has in mind a chic new suit.

The gaberdines, serges, wool jerseys prove irresistible when one considers the popularity of the spring one-piece wool dresses.

Wool velours are also in demand for spring coats.

As for colors-you'll find putty, khaki, tan, navy blue, cantaloupe and every other shade -First Floor, North Center. that is regarded as correct for spring, 1918.



Front, 214 inches. Back, 2 inches:







There are a dozen other good styles in addition to the ones pictured.

for every man in the city and its surroundings THE WELL-KNOWN FERGUSON SLIP-EASY COLLARS, thousands of them-in their original boxes-

The best shapes we've ever had in a collar sale.

THE SALE TAKES PLACE IN AISLE EIGHT-where there is plenty of room to take care of the thousands of men that attend these semiannual sales.

FERGUSON SLIP-EASY collars are made with patented slip-easy bands that give plenty of space to the tie, which prevents binding and

unnecessary pulling. The styles, some of which are illustrated here, are all new-the latest. Mail Orders Special atttention is called to the "Aviator" and Filled "Areo"-which have the form fit cut found only in high-grade collars.

Add 5c Sold in half-dozen lots extra for postage for 6 collars

only—6 for 75c -Just Inside the Illinois Street Doors.

Half Sizes Quarter Sizes

Sizes,

14 to 18

Regular

### NOTE THESE SAVINGS ON FURNISHINGS

Our entire stock of MILI-TARY GOODS, one-half price, including-

SWEATERS HAT CORDS HATS CHEVING INSIGNIA, ETC. CHEVRONS regulation, strictly first-class lin, V neck, trimmed with fast color braid, cut full, 85c quality......69c NIGHTSHIRTS FOR MEN, of outing flannel, sizes 15 and 16, military collar, fast colors; \$1.50 and \$1.75

SUSPENDERS FOR MEN, new clastic, leather ends, double stitched, full length; 35c quality ................25c

-Just Inside the Illinois Street Door, to Your Left.

### Imported Scotch madras curtains,

pair, 98c

(150 pairs) 2½ yards long, neat figured centers, dainty border pat-terns, cream color, extra special, pair .....98c

35c Marquisette, yard, 22c

38 inches wide, hemstitched edge, both edges finished, launders without being stretched, white ivory or beige, yard ......22c

-Third Floor.

## Patent leather bags

Black, gray and green

For shopping, knitting, books. short trips.

· etc.

Various sizes and shapes, beautifully lined, extra pockets on the inside, exceptionally good workmanship, black, Spanish gray or green; \$8,50, \$6.95, \$5.95 and ......\$3.9.5

**GROCERIES** 

(We reserve the right to limit quantities.)

6c for deliveries-1% extra for charges.

KNITTING PINS. white or amber, 14 inches long, size 5 for sweaters; regular 39c quality, pair ......25c

Luncheon, the best cup value for your pound ...... 28c

JIFFY JELL, the new idea in fruity desserts, and salads,

ten different flavors, being demonstrated,

Heinz

Pickles-

Sweet, large size, regular price

20c. sale price. dozen, 14c

Sweet, medium size, regular price 15c, sale price...dozen, 9e

Dills, large size,

regular price 35c, sale price dozen, 23e

Dills, medium size, regular price 25c. sale

price..dozen, 17c

Sours, large jumbo. regular price 35c. sale price..dozen, 23c

Sours, medium size regular price 20c, sale

price..dozen. 14c

ered.)

(None deliv-

2 pack-ages, 23c

SILK KNITTING BAGS, attractive figured patterns, silk lined; regular \$3.95 quality.\$2.50 -Third Floor.

RED KIDNEY BEANS. Van Camp's (3 cans, 35c). 121c

PIMENTO CHEESE, fresh Sun-lit made, pound ...... 39c

ENGLISH WAL-NUTS, fancy large California budded, pound. 32c

PECAN MEATS, large fresh shelled halves. 70c

pound ..... 79c

SALAD DRESS-ING, Pompelan, made with pure elive oil and fresh eggs. bot-

DATES. Carnation. fancy Persians, package. 16c

BUTTERINE. Friedman's Oak Grove or Jelke's Good Luck— 5-pound pail.... \$1.59

ROLLED OATS.
National pure rolled white oats—
2 packages... 19c

BOWL-ENE, a dis-infectant and de-odorizer, 10c

19c

#### 100-Piece American porcelain \$27.50 Dinner sets, \$18.75

with tiny French floral decorations—very charming. —Fifth Floor.

60c to \$1.00 Bathroom fixtures, 48c



Solid

brass.

heavy

nickel

plated.

60c to

\$1.00

sale

price.

WALL SOAP DISHES, GLASS TOWEL BARS. 18 inches long, 75c quality. COMBINATION SOAF

\$1.00 quality ......

TUB SOAP DISHES,

SPONGE HOLDERS, 75c qualities, COMBINATION TUM BLER AND TOOTHBRUSH HOLDERS, \$1.00 quality. TOILET PAPER HOLD-ERS, 70c quality..... GLASS SHELVES, 18 inches long, 85c quality.... BATH TUB SEATS, oak and white enameled, 75c and

\$1.00 qualities..... BATHROOM STOOLS, white enameled-\$2.25 quality ......\$1.69 \$1.50 quality ......98c -Fifth Floor.

### Out go all women's and misses' WINTER SUITS Sizes 16 to 20-34, 36 and 38



Former prices \$18.50 to \$30 Many are appropriate for early

spring wear-and are in conservative fashions, insuring their good style for next winter. As a matter of fact, were we to hold them over until next winter, they would bring

plete clearance within the season-demands that they find new owners now. Suits of burella, poplin, serge and gaberdine-brown, Russian green, navy blue, black, reindeer and beet

much higher prices-but our policy of com-

Choice of all Basement Store's winter suits at \$12.75 and .....\$9.50

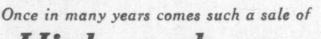
#### SAVINGS ON LINGERIE

SILK BLOOMERS FOR WOMEN AND MISSES, of pure silk crepe de chine, flesh color, special .. \$1.98

CORSET COVERS, of jersey silk, Val. lace inserts, \$1.00 quality ... . 49c SILK VESTS, of glove silk, flesh color, \$1.50 quality .....

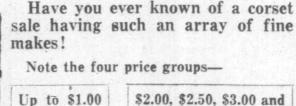


# THE BASEMENT STORE



#### High-grade corsets The corsets were brought from the Fourth Floor Shops to The Basement Store

and placed on sale at Savings of one-half to two-thirds



Corsets. \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00,

\$4.00 Corsets. \$5.00, \$6.00,

\$5.00, and even \$6.00 Corsets,

\$7.50 and \$10.00 Corsets,

Note the fine makes-a veritable roll of honor-American Lady, Redfern, Lady Ruth, Madame Binner, Thomson's, La Victoire, Modart, Nemo,

### White goods, wash goods, curtain specials

WHITE IN-DIA LINEN, 26 inches wide, perfect weave and finish (No phone orders), special. 10c

NAINSOOK, yard wide, firm thread, launders nicely, regular 25c 19c LONGCLOTH. yard wide. soft chamois finish,

yard \$1.79 BLEACHED MUSLIN, yard wide, soft cambric finish, launders nicely, extra special.

WHITE OUTING FLANNEL, 27 inches wide, soft and fluffy, special. 22c and fluffy. special. 22c

B L E A C H ED
H O S P I T A L
G A U Z E, yard
wide, very absorbent, special (12
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and ......

e n t. special (12 yards. 81.00). yard 83C

SILK TISSUES.
32 inches wide, beautiful plaids, mill lengths, 50c quality, yard 39c

39c

riety of choice plaids— 32 inches wide, yard .....39c
27 inches wide,
yard .....25c

PERCALES.
yard wide. large
variety of patterns. light and
dark colors, regular 25c
quality .... 22c SERPENTINE CREPE, floral and stripe de-signs, specially

SARDINES, fancy domestic Sea shore in rich oil (3 Q1) cans, 22c), can. 82C

DRIED BEEF.

LAUNDRY SO AP. Fels-Naptha, ivory and P. & G. Naptha. 5 bars, 28c

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